CLASSIFICATION OFFICE DECISION

Title of publication:	a0.jpg
Other known title(s):	Not stated
OFLC ref:	1800145.000
Medium:	Computer Image File
Publisher:	Not stated
Country of origin:	Not stated
Language:	Not applicable
Applicant:	Secretary for Internal Affairs
Classification:	Objectionable.
Descriptive note:	None
Display conditions:	None
Date of entry in Register:	07 May 2018
Date of direction to issue a label:	No direction to issue a label has been issued
Date of notice of decision:	07 May 2018

Summary of reasons for decision:

The computer image file is an image of a partially nude young girl, who is strongly sexualised by the way she has been photographed to focus solely on her nudity. The image is classified as objectionable because it exploits the nudity of a child to such a degree that its availability is likely to be injurious to the public good. An objectionable classification interferes with the right to freedom of expression as set out in s14 of the New Zealand Bill of Rights Act 1990, but is a reasonable limitation on that right in order to prevent injury to the public good.